

About the Nursing Home Transition Program

The Nursing Home Transition Program is a federally funded pilot project led by the Department of Health, and Social Services' Division of Services for Aging and Adults with Physical Disabilities (DSAAPD).

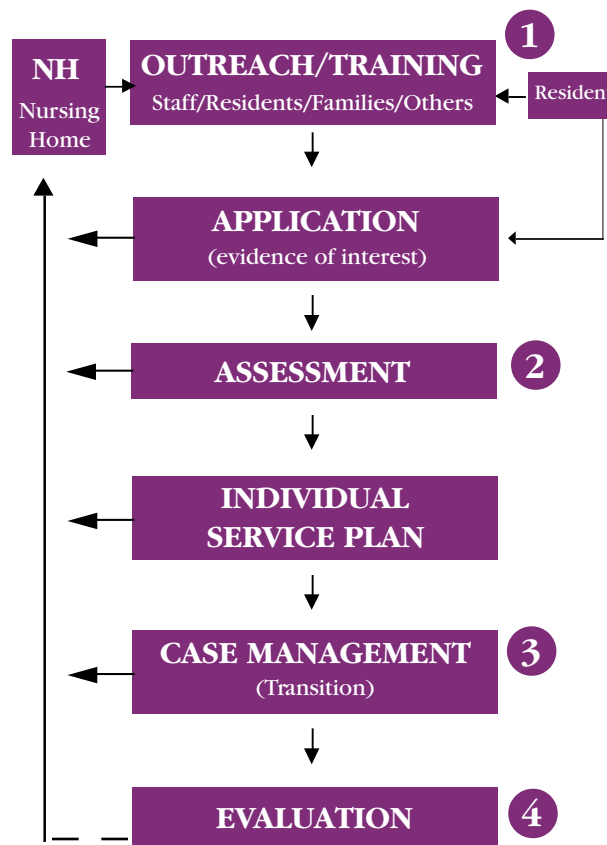
The goal of the program is to identify, inform and assist Nursing Home residents, especially those who are Medic-

aid-eligible, who want to transition into the community. The program offers individualized case management to accomplish this goal.



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TRANSITION PROCESS



Delaware Passport to Independence

(Nursing Home
Transition Program)

INTENSIVE CASE MANAGEMENT PROVIDERS

A pilot project of -



**DELAWARE HEALTH
AND SOCIAL SERVICES**
 DIVISION OF SERVICES FOR AGING AND
 ADULTS WITH PHYSICAL DISABILITIES

Choose one of these Intensive Case Management Providers to help you transition to your new community lifestyle.

Carelink Community Support Services

Locations

Community Service Building
100 West 10th Street, Suite 601
Wilmington, DE 19801
302-429-6693 (Voice) • 302-429-8031 (Fax)
Marple Commons
2002 Sproul Road, 3rd Floor
Broomall, PA 19008-3510
610-325-9970 (Voice) • 610-325-9963 (Fax)
www.carelink-svs.org

Staff

4 Case Managers
Access to translation languages

Carelink will work with people towards:

- Recovery
- Wellness
- Self Determination
- Maximizing Independence

Jewish Family Service of Delaware, Inc.

Location

101 Garden of Eden Road
Wilmington, DE 19803
302-478-9411 (Voice) • 302-479-9883 (Fax)
www.jewishfamilyservice@comcast.net

Staff

Case Managers
Social Workers

JFS will work with people towards:

- Goal achievement
- Achieving full potential
- Self Determination
- Independent living

Freedom Center for Independent Living, Inc.

Location

3 East Main Street
Middletown, DE 19709
302-376-4399 (Voice) • 866-our-rights (Toll free)
302-376-4397 (TTY) • 302-376-4395 (Fax)
www.FreedomCIL@yahoo.com

Staff

Transition Specialist
Peer Support Groups

Freedom Center will work with people towards:

- Goal achievement
- Choice attainment
- Self Determination
- Independent living

United Cerebral Palsy of Delaware, Inc.

Locations

700A River Road
Wilmington, DE 19809-2746
302-764-2400 (Voice) • 302-764-8708 (TDD)
302-764-8713 (Fax)

3249 Midstate Road
Felton, DE 19943
302-335-5626 (Voice) • 302-335-5716 (Fax)

Staff

2 Case Managers

UCP will work with people towards:

- Goal achievement
- Achieving full potential
- Self Determination
- Independent living

Components and timeline of the Nursing Home Transition Program

Education & Outreach:

May 2003 – May 2004

Provider: Jewish family Service of Delaware
Activities: educate nursing home staff, residents and families; identify those who want to transition.

Assessment:

Oct 2002–Sept 2005

Provider: Jewish Family Service
Activities: assess current and desired skills; jointly develop Individual Service Plan (ISP) with resident and the Case Management Provider of choice.

Intensive Case Management:

Jan 2004–Sept 2005

Providers: Carelink Community Support Services, Freedom Center for Independent Living, Jewish Family Service of Delaware, and United Cerebral Palsy of Delaware.
Activities: Review ISP with resident; actual transition into the community; and community orientation.

Program Evaluation:

Nov 2003–Sept 2005

Provider: Rutgers Center for State Health Policy
Activities: assess program for effectiveness and sustainability; identify gaps and opportunities.